

SELECTED STATISTICS ON RETAIL TRADE IN CALIFORNIA, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS, 1992
(Dollar amounts in thousands)

1987 SIC Code	Kind of business	Number of Establish- ments a/	Sales	Payroll, entire year	Number of paid employees for week including March 12	Percent change 1987-1992	
						Sales	Payroll, entire year
	Retail trade, total	162,111	\$224,593,152	\$28,063,781	2,050,594	24.9	23.5
521	Lumber and other building materials dealers	2,284	7,651,125	895,371	42,501	26.8	33.9
523	Paint, glass and wallpaper stores	1,177	1,004,973	151,538	7,304	13.8	25.2
525	Hardware stores	1,437	1,467,983	221,196	13,953	23.6	24.6
526	Retail nurseries, lawn and garden supply stores	932	583,797	110,398	6,885	-4.2	6.6
527	Manufactured (mobile) home dealers	234	248,697	20,382	950	-27.9	-22.7
531	Department stores (excl. leased depts.) b/ c/	912	18,935,728	2,218,029	173,733	n.c.	n.c.
533	Variety stores	565	543,086	74,707	7,235	-7.1	-5.2
539	Miscellaneous general merchandise stores d/	963	9,182,732	539,465	31,715	n.c.	n.c.
541	Grocery stores	11,774	42,733,068	4,566,742	245,814	25.8	23.4
542	Meat and fish (seafood) markets	902	639,157	63,363	4,857	-2.1	-10.2
546	Retail bakeries	3,398	860,800	205,684	23,226	6.2	-7.3
543, 4, 5, 9	Other food stores	2,413	1,117,133	144,228	13,149	5.5	3.3
551	New and used car dealers	2,009	36,420,174	2,975,056	90,387	12.7	1.0
552	Used car dealers	1,013	1,133,384	80,084	3,830	31.1	15.1
553	Auto and home supply stores	4,825	3,940,465	650,454	34,578	12.1	12.6
555, 6, 7, 9	Miscellaneous automotive dealers	1,257	2,037,098	207,701	9,333	-7.5	-3.0
554	Gasoline service stations	8,387	14,696,788	718,098	58,810	36.8	9.8
561	Men's and boys' clothing and accessory stores	1,925	1,330,213	195,776	13,343	21.1	13.0
562	Women's clothing stores	5,549	3,418,248	420,708	45,696	18.6	15.7
563	Women's accessory and specialty stores	918	368,252	49,533	4,590	67.3	64.0
565	Family clothing stores	2,132	4,817,971	571,136	40,507	56.2	63.2
566	Shoe stores	4,095	2,171,526	270,244	20,598	28.9	23.7
564, 9	Other apparel and accessory stores	1,883	817,655	104,937	10,447	30.5	21.7
5712	Furniture stores	3,364	3,138,269	444,568	21,995	3.8	2.3
5713, 4, 9	Homefurnishing stores	4,216	2,774,473	400,135	24,385	22.9	22.8
572	Household appliance stores	849	959,213	105,368	5,454	-7.5	-1.1
5731	Radio, television and electronics stores	2,132	3,314,124	380,870	19,629	38.9	42.5
5734	Computer and software stores	888	1,598,461	146,998	6,163	184.3	154.0
5735	Recorded and prerecorded tape stores	1,125	1,148,457	126,233	12,883	38.5	63.8
5736	Musical instrument stores	500	381,729	49,408	2,903	8.6	7.1
5812 pt.	Restaurants	21,299	12,128,332	3,606,855	384,993	21.4	26.9
5812 pt.	Cafeterias	799	388,656	98,828	11,098	12.9	8.6
5812 pt.	Refreshment places	19,964	9,917,679	2,322,935	309,129	37.8	42.0
5812 pt.	Other eating places	3,712	1,906,113	558,610	50,585	36.7	42.7
5813	Drinking places	4,741	1,118,299	252,509	31,439	5.2	2.9
591	Drug and proprietary stores	4,370	9,963,654	1,388,258	67,309	36.1	55.3
592	Liquor stores	3,551	1,909,376	136,569	12,826	-7.6	-19.2
593	Used merchandise stores	1,943	704,362	154,834	12,840	28.7	45.4
5941	Sporting goods stores and bicycle shops	2,763	2,203,883	268,801	20,483	42.1	52.1
5942	Book stores	1,664	1,229,242	154,737	14,214	50.4	59.3
5944	Jewelry stores	3,224	1,642,267	274,067	15,647	3.5	2.5
5943, 5-9	Other miscellaneous shopping goods stores	7,483	4,257,350	538,685	49,195	30.9	35.8
5961	Catalog and mail-order houses	882	2,308,886	215,754	9,202	48.5	55.2
5962	Automatic merchandising machine operators	535	467,668	85,181	4,046	-8.0	2.2
5963	Direct selling establishments	1,500	1,314,362	260,050	14,831	31.9	29.1
598	Fuel dealers e/	345	331,269	49,654	2,243	n.c.	n.c.
5992	Florists	2,680	616,754	122,674	12,701	10.1	7.5
5993	Tobacco stores and stands	131	60,502	5,530	544	26.9	4.7
5994	News dealers and newsstands	163	65,816	8,737	841	-6.7	-5.3
5995	Optical good stores	1,184	454,747	96,598	6,210	49.0	34.3
5999	Miscellaneous retail stores, n.e.c.	5,120	2,169,156	355,505	23,365	41.5	36.8

a/ Establishments with payroll.

b/ Includes sales from catalog order desks.

c/ 50 employees or more.

d/ Includes stores with fewer than 50 employees.

e/ Excludes ice dealers.

n.c. Not comparable to 1987 data published in the prior issues of the California Statistical Abstract, which was based on the 1972 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) codes.

Note: The 2002 Economic Census reports are now available and presented in Section Q of this report. It is based on a new industrial classification system. As a result, comparison between census years may not be possible.

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 1992 Census of Retail Trade, <http://www.census.gov/>
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